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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED APRIL 10, 2000**

**Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231**

Dear Sir:

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This is in response to the Office Action filed on April 10, 2000, having a one month shortened statutory period for response which will expire on June 10, 2000. This response is being filed within two months of the mailing of the Office Action and therefore no fees are believed to be due. In the event fees are required, the Commissioner is authorized to charge such fees to Tobor, Goldstein & Healey, LLP Deposit Account No. 20-1299, Order No. 2553.004/EWG.

## IN THE CLAIMS

Claims 1 – 13 are pending.

Please amend claim 4 as follows: